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Admission 50 cents.

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To their Excellencies

The Governor-General and the Lady Stanley of Preston, and the Banquet to His Excellency the Governor-General, may be obtained from any of the following Committee: Mayor Grant, H. E. Croasdaile, Capt. A. W. Jones, H. K. Prior and Joshua Davies.

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JAMES L. RAYMUR, Hon. Sec.

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THE SILENT CITY.

Glacier Bay, the Wonderland of Alaska, Graphically Described.

The Chase for the "Silent City"—'Twas Seen Only in a Weird Dream.

Glacier Bay, Alaska, Sep. 21, 1889.—If I had been asked before I commenced my investigations into the wonders of Glacier Bay, how far it was from its mouth to its head, I would have answered "not more than ten miles." If I were asked now, I would answer, "forty good, long miles, at least."

As I looked up to the head of the bay, just before launching my canoe on the morning of July 6th, the sun was shining full upon the water, the glaciers and the snow clad peaks of the Fairweather range. The bay seemed but a span, the glaciers narrow strips of silvery threads winding down the mountain sides which looked but a stones throw away.

So clear was the atmosphere that the snowy peaks on the outskirts of the range at least sixty miles to the north were as distinctly seen, and every ridge, and wallow, and curve of the icy crust that enshrouded them, could not have been more clearly defined had they been as they actually appeared, but a stone's throw away.

Never have I been in a country of such magnificent distances as Alaska, and especially Glacier Bay.

I thought an hour at the furthest would land us upon the opposite shore, but three long hours of hard pulling had passed into eternity before we had gotten into the procession of ice that wound its length along the west shore of the bay and was swung by the tide out to the sea.

These of you who have seen rivers break up in the spring, and the cakes of ice huddled close upon each other, can form some idea of the density of the chain through which we had to pass, only the ice here flows in pieces weighing from one hundred pounds to as many tons, and once within its folds it was as possible to go ahead as toretreat.

Upon reaching a point on level with the top of their front, I found that we were upon the west side of two glaciers coming into the bay in such close proximity that they might be termed a double glacier. The top of the front was fully two hundred and fifty feet to the water below, and from one side to the other, at least a mile and a half. Think of it! A field of ice one mile and a half wide and two hundred and fifty feet thick, breaking off and tumbling into the water in irregular blocks; many of them breaking back into the glacier one and two hundred feet. Is it any wonder that the crash can be heard for miles? Is it any wonder that the bottom of this grand inland sea is a hundred fathoms below the surface when these ponderous sections of ice fall from dizzy heights and go plowing beneath? Is it any wonder that the south surface of the water is often rolled into high swells, as mountains of ice fall upon its bosom? Yet, so it is, and as I contemplated it the other day I thought if the eyes of the world could look upon the scene there would be but one acclaim from the multitude, namely, wonder of wonders!

Prof. Willoughby, who claims to have photographed the mirage of the "Silent City," tells me that at the western extremity of the bay he will show me a glacier that will so far eclipse all the rest that I will regard those I have seen as pigmies among a giant. It is upon the face of the mightiest of these that I was to look for this wonderful phenomenon, and thither amid every scene my eyes were continually turned.

It was about four o'clock in the afternoon of the 6th of July that I set off with one of my party to make my first observations for the mirage of the "Silent City." We were equipped with two cameras, and expected to be gone a couple hours. Our course lay up the side of the glacier and towards the Fairweather range. We had gone perhaps two miles, stepping over narrow crevasses, jumping wider ones or circling around those which were impassable. The loads we were carrying soon became burdensome, and our vigilance somewhat relaxed. Suddenly, and not knowing what drew our attention towards the summit of the mountains, there appeared a strange looking object suspended in the air, and following the direction of a stream or glow of light that seemed to radiate from the highest of the range squarely down upon the great glacier at the head of bay.

For an instant we stood spell bound, then recovering one suggested going one way for a better view, and the other another. We separated, I going to the left my companion to the right. My course lay directly over the glacier.

How I got beyond the yawning chasms I now know, but for a time I could not comprehend. Time under some circumstances passes fast. How long I traveled before giving up my search for a better view of the mirage I shall never know, but when I concluded it had disappeared. I commenced to retrace my steps, and after traveling for an hour, looking and calling for my friend whom I feared had fallen into one of those frightful chasms, I suddenly realized that I was lost. The longer I wandered, the more miserable my sufferings. A range of rugged, snow capped, and in most instances snow clothed mountains, confronted me on the one hand, bold and bare mountains containing not the slightest sign of any kind of vegetation, forming supports for the frozen rivers that seemed to flow in solid mass between them on the other hand, and a sheet of water filled with ice, a dozen or more miles in width cut off my path in front. An attempt to pass over a glacier top was thwarted by wide and bottomless abysses that seemed to open out their icy sides to draw me within their grasp.

I had no hope of succor from white man or Indians save from my party within fifty miles, for there were none in this desolate region. In this condition of fear and apprehension of what the end would be, I wandered hour after hour, first one way and then another. If the sun sunk to rest in over fifty hours, I was not conscious of it.

It was towards the close of the second day that I laid down on the side of a mountain to think. I tried to be calm, and summoned all my resources for a council with myself. I was weak, and faint, and feverish, but mastered my fears and thought. Suddenly, as silently as the spirit must enter the gates of heaven, there burst upon my view against the side of the Fairweather range, a city, stretching out into the distance, until its furthermost limits were lost to view.

The style of its architecture was new to me. Buildings of massive structure extended in unbroken and solid blocks as far as the eye could reach. The solemn walls of cathedrals rose almost to the skies, and out from their frescoed halls, through the openings of gorgeously painted windows, came silvery music chanted to a chorus of tinkling bells. The entire limits of the city were confined within a halo of light, dense yet transparent, pouring its soft glow upon roof, and wall, and window in glorious profusion. To the rear, and right and left, a range of mountains clothed in the garb of winter formed a background. They seemed to set almost upon the tops of the buildings, and the spires of churches seem to pierce their ghostly robes, yet not one breath of their chilling presence extended within the portals of the city. The bells from a thousand spires seemed to mingle in sweet and happy melody. Within the whole length and breadth of this boundless city, not one soul could be seen. Not even a shadow darkened for one instant the faintest light. All was silent as the grave. Suddenly, I thought it was moving away. Its glories and grandeur lured me with a fascination I would not resist, and I quickly started in its direction. The faster I walked the faster it receded. I could not resist a desire to run and get within its holy precincts, and just as I believed I should step upon its silent streets a shock that awoke the hills and shook them to their very foundation, drove the city out of my sight, and I stood staggering upon my feet, looking against the Fairweather range. The mountains, the halo and the stillness were there, but nothing more could I see or hear, save the echoing reports from an immense breakdown of a mighty glacier. In an instant I realized that I was a wanderer. A settled calm, however, had come over me in my desolate condition, for I had seen the "Silent City,"—but in a dream.

MINER W. BRUCE.

OUT OF THE WOODS.

To the Editor of the Times:

Sir,—Your morning contemporary has shown good judgment in declining to discuss election matters until after the election is over. It has learned by experience that its advocacy of a cause is one of the surest ways it can adopt to render failure possible, and in declining to aid the opposite side it has proved that it still possesses a glimmer of common sense.

AN EARLY VOTER.

WIRE FENCES.

To the Editor of the Times:

Sir,—Will you kindly allow me, through the medium of your paper, to draw the attention of the authorities to a public nuisance that exists on Blanchard avenue. I refer to Mr. Finlayson's barb wire fences. It is almost impossible for ladies in windy weather to prevent their dresses from being blown against these fences and the consequence is in most cases a bad rent. What right has Mr. Finlayson to have a fence of this kind immediately alongside of a public sidewalk? What right has he to place an obstruction of this kind in such a position that it damages the clothes of the public, to say nothing of the hands of innocent little children who accidentally catch hold of it. Trusting this will be sufficient to draw the attention of our city police to this matter, I am,

SECOND STREET.

PERSONAL.

Items Telling of the Movements of Well Known Persons.

M. M. English is in the city on business.

A. B. Gray returned from the mainland last night.

E. A. Wadhams, of the Royal City, is registered at the Driard.

J. C. Prevost returned from a business trip to the Sound last evening.

Hon. T. B. Humphreys will leave for California on Thursday if well enough.

A. Heppner, of San Jose, is registered at the Driard. He returns home on Thursday.

Gus Hanck, of Ladner's Landing, is in the city on business. He is staying at the Driard.

Capt. Carroll, after a stay in the province for some time, left for Portland this morning.

W. R. Higgins and Mrs. Higgins were passengers from New Westminster last night by the Louise.

Mr. Hamm, late of the Poodle Dog, is expected to arrive in this city in a few days. His most intimate friends say he will not return alone.

W. J. Colville, the talented lecturer, spoke in Nanaimo last night. He will leave for the south on Thursday next by the 'Frisco steamer.

Of the many Victorians who have been east of late, none have received a warmer welcome on return than the genial Archie G. McTavish. Since Saturday evening Mr. McTavish has been busy shaking hands with his friends.

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MEETINGS TO BE HELD.

MEDICAL COUNCIL

THE SEMI-ANNUAL EXAMINATIONS of the B.C. Medical Council will be held in the city of New Westminster on Saturday,

The 9th of November next,

Commencing at the hour of 9 a.m. Full particulars will be given by addressing the Registrar.

G. L. MILNE,
oct18-1w Registrar and Secretary.

GENERAL DISPATCHES.

Edmund Yates' Weekly Budget on Royalty—Armour's Factory Burned.

A Radical Change Proposed by Labouchere—Davitt Before the Commission.

By Postal Telegraph.)

New York, Oct. 29.—Edmund Yates' London cable letter to the *Tribune* says that the Queen attended public worship at the Crathie church on Sunday a week ago, it being her first visit for a year past. It was the day fixed for the half-yearly dispensation of the sacrament and the Queen and Princess Beatrice, who sat in the manse pew, took part in the first table of service and partook of the bread and wine which were handed to them by Mr. Campbell, parish minister.

I hear that the Queen will probably open parliament in person, in compliance with Lord Salisbury's earnest wish. Of course nothing will be definitely settled for two months, but it is Her Majesty's intention, all being well, to preside at this function, which will most likely be fixed for a day in the first week of February so that the Queen may come to Buckingham palace for a couple of nights when on her way back to Windsor from Osborne.

The whole expenses of the Fredensborg party were paid for the King of Denmark by the Czar of Russia, and the total amount was something terrific, since apart from the cost of the entertainment of the immense number of persons who were resident at the Schloss, there was a vast outlay in connection with the army of Russian police agents, with whom the whole neighborhood was swarming for two months.

The Duke of Edinburgh has decided to live abroad because it was deemed expedient he should reside at Cobourg for several months each year as heir to the duchy, and because under a new family ukase of the czar the duchess must pass at least three months of every year in Russia, unless she wishes to lose one-third of her allowance from the imperial treasury. The Duke and Duchess of Edinburgh appear likely to become very considerable personages in Germany, as they are in high favor at Berlin and are now on excellent terms with the Duke of Sake-Cobourg Gotha.

The French, who are principally anxious to be on good terms with Russia, point well enough to the fact that although the anticipated visit of the Czar and Czarewitch to the exhibition has not taken place, there attended last week no fewer than seven members of the imperial family.

TYPHOID ABROAD.

Dublin, Oct. 29.—Typhoid fever has been so general in Dublin and its neighborhood that professional nurses were not to be got for the time being. All sorts of curious causes are sought for this particular outbreak. Among others are oysters, of which it is said a cargo arrived at Dublin. These are charged with causing typhoid.

COAL MINERS ON A STRIKE.

Brussels, Oct. 29.—Five thousand coal miners are on a strike in the Borinage district of Belgium, and it is feared the movement will continue to spread.

IS IT TASCOTT?

Philadelphia, Oct. 29.—The man under arrest here supposed to be Tascott, the Chicago murderer of Snell, attempted suicide in his cell this morning.

MAY OR MAY NOT.

Chicago, Oct. 29.—Vice-President McMullin, of the Chicago & Alton railroad, says the Alton is not a member of the northwest Union Pacific alliance as reported. The Union Pacific, he says, has made overtures for the forming of a traffic agreement with the Chicago & Alton, via Kansas City, but so far there has been nothing definite accomplished. Arrangements may be made and may not.

ARMOUR'S FACTORY BURNED.

Kansas City, Oct. 29.—The mammoth packing factory of Armour & Co. here was burned early this morning. Loss, $110,000; fully insured. Robt. Parton, colored, who slept in the building, is supposed to have perished.

THE CRONIN TRIAL.

Chicago, Oct. 29.—A big crowd sought admission to Judge McConnall's court this morning. Many persons were denied admission. The proceedings were devoid of interest and nothing startling elicited.

A MYSTERY.

Fall River, Mass., Oct. 29.—A Frenchman named Gilletta, aged 40, unmarried, has been missing from his boarding house since Friday last. In his room was found a box containing the bones of his deceased mother, which he brought here from Canada, and in the box was a letter written by Gilletta, stating he was going to drown himself and requesting whoever found his body to bury the bones along with him. No trace of the missing man can be found.

ENJOYING THEMSELVES.

Omaha, Neb., Oct. 29.—The Pan-American delegates spent a very quiet day. This morning a large number of the party drove out to Fort Omaha and inspected that place. They witnessed a dress parade of the troops who afterwards marched in review before General Camant of the delegation, and they partook of lunch at Paxton. This afternoon the whole party boarded a train of cars on the electric railway and rode over to Council Bluffs. At dinner pretty souvenirs in the shape of an ox horn, polished and trimmed with ribbons, was presented to each excursionist. An informal reception was held in the hotel.

ACQUITTED.

Tacoma, Oct. 28.—F. Eugene Clark, indicted for the murder of Annie Dickenson, has been acquitted.

DR. TANNER RELEASED.

Dublin, Oct. 29.—Dr. Tanner, M. P. for Cork, convicted of offences under the Crimes Act, was released yesterday, his term of imprisonment having expired.

LONDON NOTES.

London, Oct. 29.—The Times reduces its estimates of the wheat harvest eight million bushels.

The market for pig iron in Glasgow is excited and large transactions are taking place. Scotch pig iron has risen one shilling and nine pence.

A German attempt to colonize Toponds Land, South Natal, has failed. The settlers have dispersed after selling their property and goods at a sacrifice.

An American law bureau has been opened at Frankfort by Messrs. Mueller and Fursen.

Miss Huntingon's bridal dress was a green velvet trimmed with satin, valued at £500.

AN ARTIST ACCOMPANIES HIM.

Athens, Oct. 29.—Herr Salzman, a marine painter, is in company of the Kaiser Wilhelm during his trip in the east of Europe, and came with him to this city. He was very busy all day Saturday and yesterday in making sketches of animated and picturesque scenes in the harbor of Piraeus and in Athens of all persons attending the royal wedding.

EXCITING FIRE AT GLASGOW.

London, Oct. 29.—There was an exciting fire at Glasgow early this morning. The wool market was destroyed and the flames spread to a number of thickly populated lodging houses surrounding the market building. There was an extensive panic among the thousands of inmates, and at least 300 persons rushed into the streets clad only in their night clothing and without saving any of their effects. Numbers of fugitives were more or less bruised and hurt, but no casualties are reported. The loss on the market building and dwellings is heavy, but the exact figures have not been learned.

RUSSIAN FINANCES.

St. Petersburg, Oct. 28.—The government has taken steps to extinguish the 50,000,000 rouble 5 per cent. gold loan held by the Imperial bank. For this purpose, 13,820,000 roubles will be added from the treasury to the 1,610,000 roubles remaining from the profits of the conversion of the loan of 1877. An ukase ordering this to be done has been issued.

THE CHINA STEAMERS.

San Francisco, Oct. 29.—A special from Ottawa says: The trans-Pacific steamers between China, Japan and British Columbia will after November 22nd stop running. The government and Canadian Pacific railway have been notified by the steamship company that it is determined to terminate the contract with the railway company. There seems to be a difficulty with shipping connections both on the Atlantic and Pacific.

FRIENDLY WITH THE CZAR.

Vienna, Oct. 29.—A rumor is floating about in diplomatic circles in this city, but is not yet confirmed by any positive news, that the Czar has accepted the Sultan's invitation, conveyed to him through the agency of the Turkish Ambassador at St. Petersburg, to visit Persia. Nothing definite is known about it, but the plan seems to be that the Czar shall go to Persia in the spring after he has paid a visit to the Crimea.

PARNELL COMMISSION.

Davitt Upholds the Clan-Na-Gael in a Degree.

London, Oct. 29.—Michael Davitt resumed his address before the Parnell commission to-day. He said the Chicago convention disapproved of the charge that the Clan-Na-Gael was actively allied with the National League. Some expressions indulged in at the Chicago convention were very bitter towards England, but then at that period the League was suppressed, Parnellites were imprisoned. The statement that he had met the chief of the assassin party was a baseless lie. He assisted to form an Irish federation with the assistance of Parnell. He often repudiated the policy of revenge. The Clan-Na-Gael society, he declared, was very much misrepresented. It was not a society of assassins, nor has more of a secret society than the Masons.

He cited proofs that agrarian crimes, occuring from 1879 to 1882, were due to terrible social and economic conditions of the country and not at all to political causes. His object in furthering the organization of the league was to abolish landlordism by constitutional means. He denied that the meeting at which the league was started was organized by Fenians or with any ulterior object.

RELIEF WANTED

From Extortionate Freight Tariffs in England.

London, Oct. 29.—The agitation among traders and manufacturers of England for relief from extortionate freight tariffs imposed by railroads, promises now, after many months of fruitless effort, to bring wealthy railroad corporations to time. Meetings have been held in every large city in England, in which the most prominent citizens took part. Resolutions have been passed without number, loudly protesting against the high-handed treatment accorded shippers. But to all this the railway managers turn a deaf ear. So long as the victims bore the extortions of the tariffs and the extremely unjust discriminations, maintained respect for "vested" rights of the companies and refrain from demanding of parliament interference in their behalf, the railway managers only laughed at the protests and the resolutions. Meetings at Manchester, Leeds, Bradford, Sheffield and Liverpool during the past ten days have now caused more concern in railway circles. They did not confine themselves to empty action to bring the managers to their senses. Steps were taken to form "Traders' and Manufacturers' leagues" to extend throughout England, Scotland and Ireland, whose purpose should be to obtain from a sitting member of parliament a pledge to advocate and vote for parliamentary supervision over the freight charges of the railways, and in case of refusal to give such a pledge on the part of any member to throw their whole weight, regardless of party affiliations against him. It is evident that the merchants and manufacturers engaged in this movement are in dead earnest. They point to the recent example of the United States Congress, which passed a comprehensive measure for the regulation of railway charges, with which all classes appear entirely satisfied. The Lord Mayor of London, speaking at one of these meetings recently held at Manchester, urged those aggrieved by the action of the companies to unite for mutual protection, and the league is the outcome of his advice. The railway companies will probably reconsider their proposal to increase their freight charges.

LONDON GOSSIP.

A Budget of Doings From the World's Metropolis.

London, Oct. 29.—Phyllis Broughton's suit for breach of promise against Lord Dagnan was settled by the defendant paying into court $12,500 damages and costs.

MUST PAY ALIMONY.

London, Oct. 29.—The court has ordered Dion Boucicault to pay $150 per month alimony to his wife, who recently obtained a divorce from him.

London, Oct. 29.—The *World* states that the Queen will open the next session of parliament in person.

ADVANCE IN IRON.

London, Oct. 29.—There is much excitement in the Glasgow iron market to-day. Warrants jumped suddenly from 50s. 3d. to 60s. It is expected a further advance will occur to-morrow.

PLEADS GUILTY.

Father McFadden Pleads Guilty and is Released pro tem.

Dublin, Oct. 29.—Father McFadden pleaded guilty to-day at Marlborough, of obstructing the police at the time Inspector Martin was murdered in Gweedore last February. He was released from custody on his own recognizance, the government having assented to this method of settling the case. Ten prisoners, who are held on charges similar to those against McFadden, pleaded likewise, and also were allowed to go, sentence being postponed indefinitely. This result of the cases is said to be due to a discovery by the government that juries with cases could not be relied upon to convict of murder. It was therefore made known to the prisoners that a plea of guilty would satisfy the prosecution.

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CANADIAN DISPATCHES

What Dr. Bourinot Says of the Power Given to the Governor-General.

A Northwest Assemblyman Objects to "Treating"—Masonic Meeting.

By Postal Telegraph.)

Ottawa, Oct. 29.—Dr. Bourinot says in an interview: The power given by fundamental law to the Governor-General-in-council of disallowing any provincial act within one year from its receipt, is one evidence which the constitution affords of the subordinate position in certain particulars of the provincial authorities. It illustrates the fact that the Dominion government now occupies those relations towards the provincial governments that England before confederation held with reference to the provinces, and still does in the case of all the colonies outside of Canada.

MASONIC MEETING.

Montreal, Oct. 28.—At a meeting of the Ancient and Accepted Scottish Rite on Friday the officers were elected, among them being supreme grand commander, J. V. Ellis, M. P., St. John, N. B.; grand standard bearer, C. N. Bell, Winnipeg. Deputies for the provinces, C. N. Bell, Winnipeg, for Manitoba; Hugh Murray, Hamilton, for British Columbia.

NORTHWEST ASSEMBLY.

The Liquor Question—Richardson Objects to "Treating."

Regina, Oct. 28.—Mr. Richardson, the member for Grenfel, gave notice to-day of the following resolution to be moved on Wednesday next: "Whereas, the granting of permits to sell 4 per cent beer in the Territories has been productive of evil to the moral and physical well-being of the people, and where such sales have a tendency to increase treating and drinking customs, which are now everywhere acknowledged to be among the great evils connected with the use of intoxicants, and are having a tendency to form an appetite for spirits, and make imperative the prohibitory provisions of the Northwest territories act; that an humble address be presented to his honor the Lieut.-Governor, praying that he will be pleased to cease issuing permits for the sale of beer in the Territories."

HON. ALEX. MORRIS.

One of the Fathers of Confederation Dead—An Eventful Life.

Toronto, Oct. 28.—Hon. Alex. Morris, ex-Lieut.-Governor of Manitoba, died at his residence here this morning. The late Hon. Alex. Morris was born in Perth, Ont., in March, 1826. He was educated at the University of Glasgow, Scotland, and at McGill University, Montreal, studied law, and was admitted to the bars of Upper and Lower Canada in 1851. He began practice in Montreal, and in 1861 was elected to the Canada assembly for South Lanark, which he continued to represent till the union in 1867, when he was elected by acclamation for that constituency to the Dominion Parliament. In 1864 he was active in the negotiations that resulted in the formation of the coalition government in that year, and also in advocating confederation, which he had long before proposed. In 1869 Mr. Morris became a member of the privy council of Canada, and minister of inland revenue. From July till December, 1872, he was the first Chief Justice of the Court of Queen's Bench of Manitoba, and in 1876 was appointed lieutenant-governor of Manitoba and the Northwest Territories, and subsequently became governor of Keewatin. He became commissioner of Indian affairs for Manitoba and the Northwest Territories in June, 1873. In 1877 he retired from the lieutenant-governorship, and in 1878 was an unsuccessful candidate for Selkirk, Manitoba, for the Dominion parliament; but in December of that year he was elected for Toronto East to the Ontario legislature, where he held a seat till 1886, when he retired, owing to failing health. He was appointed a Queen's Counsel by the Dominion government in 1881, and has been president of the St. Andrew's Society of Montreal, a governor of the University of McGill College, and chairman of the board of trustees of Queen's University, Kingston. He was the author of "Canada and Her Resources," a prize essay prepared for the Paris exhibition; "Nova Britannia," a lecture (Montreal, 1858); the "Hudson Bay and Pacific Territories," a lecture (Toronto, 1884); "The Treaties of Canada with the Indians of the Northwest," (1880), and "Nova Britannia," a collection of speeches and lectures on confederation (1869).

AN AGITATOR'S MEETING.

Burns' Lieutenant Carries on a Vigorous Programme.

London, Oct. 29.—Mr. Tillett, the able lieutenant of Jno. Burns in the recent London dockmen's strike, is carrying on a vigorous socialist propaganda and work of organization in the large cities of the united kingdom. His latest and most successful efforts have been at Bristol. To-day he addressed a monster mass meeting of workmen in that city. Competent observers place the number of his listeners at 60,000. Tillett urged the benefits of combination, and held out glowing prospects of success, based on the result in the case of the dockers. His remarks were not addressed to any particular class of workers, but applied equally to all trades. It is noteworthy that the regular radical socialists do not give a hearty support to the movement initiated by Burns and Tillett, as a fight increase of the wages involving greater contentment on the part of the workers with the wage system has no charms for out-and-out socialists, who would, on the contrary, so arouse discontent with the whole existing social fabric as to hasten its total overthrow and the establishment of a universal co-operation. Burns and Tillett have therefore been almost read out of the socialist party by reason of their having descended to practical methods.

LABOUCHERE GOES STUMPING.

You Won't Know the Country After He Gets Through.

New York, Oct. 28.—The *Mail and Express* London cable says: Henry Labouchere is stumping Scotland with considerable effect and his speeches have elicited general approval of extreme Radicals. Their programme, as enunciated by Labouchere, is now definitely formulated. It includes the "one man one vote" principle, of universal suffrage; scheme of triennial, not septennial parliament, the disestablishment of church, accompanied by its disendowment, funds now diverted to ecclesiastical purposes to be taken for secular uses in the administration of the empire; such changes in the land laws as would lead ultimately to the extinction of the great land owning families and divide the immense estates into more even distribution of property. Mr. Labouchere was observed furiously on the occasion when he declared "we will make such a change in the land laws that the landlords will not recognize the country when we have put our hands on it." Another point is the compulsory work bill, a remedy for housing the poor.

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THE COLONIST'S TONGUE UNTIED.

If we may so phrase it, now that the battle is over and the smoke of conflict has cleared away, our contemporary, for the last week as reticent as Mr. EARLE himself, uncorks the viale of its wrath. We should suppose that an organ too cowardly to undertake the defence of its candidate anterior to his election, would find it most in accord with consistency to continue to remain quiescent now that the object sought has been attained. But no! The danger is over; there is no fear of compromising the gentleman who sought and obtained office, not on his political but individual merits, and the Colonist, like the boy who has been hiding from some imaginary danger, now comes out and vociferates "who's afraid!" Now, the policy of the Colonist in this little travesty of an election which we have just had, may have been politic as a means of gaining an immediate end, but candidly, we doubt its expediency as a measure calculated to endure. If Mr. EARLE gives satisfaction, all will be well; if, however, Mr. EARLE should run counter to public expectation, our contemporary may justly be charged with grave neglect of public duty in failing to demand of its candidate a public confession of faith. If, of course, the Colonist makes no pretensions to anything else than the mouthpiece of a cabal the popularity or unpopularity of Mr. EARLE's political career will make no difference. But if Mr. EARLE should move counter to the wishes of his constituents, the Colonist stands convicted of having connived at it, and it can no longer pose as the organ of the people, a function which it never fails to arrogate to itself. As journalists we should much dislike to be in the position of the Colonist, and if we were stock holdholders in the concern we would offer to sell. We would hate to hazard our journalistic reputation on the movements of an unpledged politician we care not how unimpeachable his private life. The TIMES has never demanded of Mr. EARLE anything more than what was fair. It knows of no word it would take back, no phrase it would modify. The TIMES only hopes that Mr. EARLE's political career will justify the dubious course the Colonist has pursued, and that its own fears will prove unfounded. In such an event it will be the first to a limit as much and to extend its congratulations to our new representative.

SEAMEN'S CONGRESS.

"The Church Congress at Cardiff," says the London Times, "has been followed by a congress of humbler and more recent origin." This is the Seamen's Congress held for the first time under the auspices of the National Seaman's and Fireman's Union. The formation of this union is only a late and very recent development of trade union principles for the reason that the character of seamen and the nature of their employment are both obstacles to effective combination. Nevertheless these obstacles seem to have been successfully surmounted, and according to the general secretary of the union the effect has been to put a million and a half into the pockets of the seafaring men of the country. But the Times is of the opinion that the advantages of the union must not be regarded from the stand point of pounds, shillings, and pence wholly. "The loss of life at sea in British ships is a grave public scandal," and since relief cannot be obtained from legislative quarters the next best resource lies in the formation of seamen's societies. According to Mr. EVANS, President of the Congress, there was a loss of 3067 men out of 200,000 in 1887, while in the comparative statements of Mr. PLIMSOLL, the record is "more disquieting." The annual British loss at sea is 1 in 66, in Germany 1 in 123, in the Netherlands 1 in 202, in Norway 1 in 277, and in Italy 1 in 454. Hence, infers the Times, "either British seamen are more reckless and adventurous, or British ship owners are far more negligent than those of other maritime nations." "The chances are," the Times continues, "the truth lies in these two alternatives." Quite likely, but with a strong leaning in favor of the latter alternative. There is no doubt in the world but that overloading is the primary cause of disaster at sea. Such is the concensus of opinion among seafaring men. This ship master and that ship master overloads his ship and cracks on canvas. Why? Because if he does not do it a ship master will be found who will! The ordinary iron ship of to-day, navigated with prudence and not overloaded, is, in sailor parlance, a safe ship. The chief danger which such a ship seems to run is getting on the lee shore. The chances of fire and collision must be taken into account, but these are nominal dangers. The essence of the whole question of safety at sea lies in the ability of a ship to ride out a gale. Ship building science, given proper conditions of loading, has as nearly overcome this element of danger as the science of railway building has overcome the danger of sharp curves and steep grades. Load the ship proportionate to her capacity, and she will, ninety-nine times out of a hundred, ride out the gale; overload her and down she goes. This is the feature in conjunction with rotten ships which apparently weighs heaviest on the Times' mind. It talks about the PLIMSOLL mark, "his beneficent but unreflecting crusade," "the inability of the Board of Trade and insurance companies to overcome the evil." From all this we are made to see that overloading and rotten ships are the prime cause of disaster at sea, and we see no reason why ship owners who send ships to sea thus conditioned should not be classed and prosecuted as murderers. But the remarkable feature of the whole business is, that though the Times recognizes these abuses it cannot screw up the moral courage to say that they may be made amenable to the law. We quote: "It may be a question whether the law should interfere to prevent a man from imperilling the lives of his sailors by sending them to sea in an unseaworthy ship whose loss would be his gain," says the moralist of the Tories. It is impossible to see that there is any question about it. If the law may not interfere to prevent a man from imperilling the lives of his employees, then the laws against murder had as well be repealed. The Times, however, qualifies this statement by saying in effect that though the law may not prescribe what is a seaworthy or unseaworthy ship, public opinion will be against the shipowners who send rotten and overloaded ships to sea. Public opinion may be able to effect something in this respect, but what shall we say of the morality which, knowing that every year sailors are systematically murdered, refuses to take systematic steps to stop it. The Times deplores the drowning of British sailors, but fearful that a rigid law in their interest rigidly enforced would detract from British ship owners' profits, it invokes the aid of public opinion merely. Since then, rapacity makes murderers of ship owners, and since the powers of Parliament can effect nothing to prevent it the seamen's combine forced on them in self-defence may be able to secure what neither the law nor a decent regard for morality could accomplish. Let us hope so at least. The ship owner who compels his captain to overload his ship or to go to sea in an unseaworthy ship is a cut throat, neither more nor less.

ALUMINIUM.

According to an American newspaper, "chemists are at work by hundreds" seeking to find some means of producing cheap aluminium, and if they succeed, iron for the thousand and one purposes in which strength, ductility, tenacity and rigidity are required will be supplanted. Aluminium is peculiar to common clay, and was discovered in 1828 by WOHLER. It would not only merely act as a substitute for iron but it would enable many things to be done which cannot now be accomplished. Aluminium is very malleable and very ductile, and can be wrought into wire as fine as a spider's web, or be beaten out into sheets as thin as gold leaf. Exposed to the elements it is unalterable and as little likely to become tarnished or oxidized as the purest gold. Neither hot nor cold water nor sulphureted hydrogen—the gas of which so quickly blackens silver not in constant use—have the slightest effect on aluminium. Most remarkable of all, in spite of its hardness, stiffness and tenacity, it is lighter than glass, and only a quarter as heavy as silver. Bearing in mind these qualities it is obvious that many of the great problems of mechanics would be solved, among which may be mentioned speed in ocean navigation, which is now handicapped by the immense weight of the material of which ships are composed. Now, twenty miles an hour is the maximum of speed of ocean steamers, but it is calculated that a steamer made of aluminium would be able to cross the Atlantic in seventy-two hours. Railways would gain no less than ships. The fittings of every railway train compose an immense weight which is costly of transport, and of course brings no profit. In a word, it would appear that aluminium is useful for all the purposes in which iron, steel, gold and silver are employed. For ornamental purposes in fact it is the equal of gold and superior to silver. It is the great desideratum apparently necessary to inaugurate a new civilization, of which possibly our grand children will profit. We often remark that if our ancestors could revisit the earth they would be surprised. From our present knowledge of things we are justified in predicting that the inventions which will be developed in the coming century will exceed in point of the wonderful anything which has preceded them, and so we may conclude that if we could visit the earth a hundred years hence we too would not only be surprised, but would regard ourselves in fairy land.

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Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

THE MARRIAGE QUESTION.

No Canadian Statute to Touch Mormon Polygamy—Will Test the Law.

The following letter from Mr. A. M. Stenhouse has lately appeared in the *Edinburgh Scotsman*, the leading journal in North Britain:

SIR,—A recent issue of your paper contained a statement to the effect that all settlers in Canada of the Mormon persuasion are to be "narrowly watched" by the police, presumably on account of their advanced opinions on the subject of marriage, for they are charged with no other crime.

Such a statement is nonsensical in the extreme. As a British subject, and one who but lately sat in a British Parliament, I desire, with your permission, to point out that there is actually no law on the Canadian statute-book, and probably none in any part of Her Majesty's dominions, that could touch Mormon, any more than Mahommedan, polygamy. Moreover, British justice, wherever administered, has always treated polygamy as a religious rite, sanctioned by consent of all who are concerned in it. In fact, it may be said that the only criminal element in bigamy is the deception which is practiced on one, and sometimes two, of the parties interested. Natural rights, both of person and property, demand that any such deception should be severely punished. It may not be generally understood that absolute freedom of contract in marriage exists at this moment in England. The monogamous contract is the usual form, and involves in its very essence a prohibition of bigamy in the criminal sense. Bigamy, then, is prohibited and punished in order to enforce the terms of a voluntary contract, and for no other reason. Registration, too, is merely a piece of State machinery—to call it marriage in the sight of God is not easily distinguishable from blasphemy. Take the case of marriage with a deceased wife's sister, or with a deceased husband's brother. Although such unions may be excluded from the State Registry, and though their issue may be technically illegitimate, their nuptials are far from being regarded as criminal. Indeed, an instrument properly executed, defining the rights and obligations of the contracting parties, would be enforced in any British court having jurisdiction therein, just as if the marriage were duly registered. And so with polygamy, where the previous wife is a consenting party. The law of England maintains, as usual, a discreet silence on the subject. For the convenience, and perhaps for the conciliation of the many, we admit the first marriage alone to registration, and decline to record any subsequent marriage, while the the first wife is still living and undivorced; but there we stop, and would as soon assume to punish marriage of the clergy as to interfere with polygamy of the laity. The scrutiny of private morals is considered the proper work of the church which is now, for all practical purposes, divided from the state. Apart from incestuous marriages, which are quite unknown in the Mormon Church—sensational stories to the contrary, notwithstanding—there is one case of polygamy, and one only, whose bearing on the law of England has yet been ascertained. The case of bridegroom with two brides is not an impossibility. Nor is it inconceivable that he might, as a bachelor, be duly wedded to both ladies at the same moment, neither of the wives preceding the other. In view of such a case the question arises—Would it be lawful for the registrar to refuse registration? Or, if the dual marriage were registered, would the parties thereto be liable to criminal prosecution?

These points have yet to be decided. As an undergraduate in matrimony, I propose to test the law as soon as I have found the ladies. I am, etc.

A. MAITLAND STENHOUSE.

SHORT TELEGRAMS.

The Day's News in one Short Column—The World's Doings.

President Carnot has informed the cabinet that he will decline to accept any of the ministers' resignations.

James Norton, a sailor on the steamer Alki from Port Townsend, was arrested yesterday on account of smuggling opium ashore.

The number of strikers in London is constantly increasing, and the prospects of their success appear to be growing brighter.

Rev. Dr. Talmage turned the first shovelful of earth for the foundation of the new tabernacle at 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon.

News has been received that the British ship Balen, from Calcutta for Liverpool, has foundered at sea and her crew of 38 persons drowned.

Mr Bradlaugh, who has been quite ill, is now convalescent. He expects shortly to take a sea voyage, which will no doubt fully restore his health.

The Pope has sent Miss Caldwell a valuable present and an autograph letter on the occasion of her approaching marriage to Prince Murat.

The London *Chronicle's* St. Petersburg correspondent says that the Czar has invited Kaiser Wilhelm to attend the Russian review next summer.

It is rumored in Portland that Mrs. C. P. Ferry, of Tacoma divorce fame, was robbed there of $8000 in checks, and a large sum of money and diamonds.

The *National Zeitung* declares that Turkey occupies a solid place in European concerns and enjoys the protection guaranteed by the treaty of Berlin.

It is reported here that Prince Bismarck inspired Prince Ktanoky, the Austrian premier, to dissuade Prince Ferdinand from returning to Bulgaria.

The London *Times* says the fruits of the maritime conference, now in session at Washington, will be seen when the next conference assembles at The Hague.

One of the boilers of the steamer Ville De Brest exploded yesterday while the vessel was lying in the Bay of Tunis. Five persons were killed and several injured.

In the case of Farmer Gallagher, on trial at Maryborough, County Donegal, for participating in the killing of Police Inspector Martin, the jury were unable to agree.

While the Unionist candidate was addressing a meeting yesterday at Camborne, he was assaulted with stones and bad eggs and finally driven from the platform.

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Agricultural Association

A MEETING of the friends of the British Columbia Agricultural Association will be held in the City Hall, in the city of Victoria, on Thursday evening, Nov. 7, at 7:30. Business:—Election of officers for ensuing year. oct17

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WANTED.—A nurse girl for a baby, where another woman servant is kept. Apply E. B., P.O. Box 181. oct25-3t

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INTERIOR ITEMS

Gathered up From the "Kootenay Star"—Mining Notes, Etc.

Work on the smelter at Kootenay is progressing steadily, and it will be ready for a start in a few weeks more.

There is some excitement on the North Fork of the Illecillewaet and several new claims have been staked there lately.

News from Illecillewaet states that there is no snow on the mountains, although at this time last year there was from four to five feet.

The Canadian Anthracite Coal Company are working an excellent vein about a mile from the station and are getting out from three to five cars per day for shipment to San Francisco.

Canmore, owing to the extensive deposits of anthracite and bituminous coal found in its vicinity, is at present attracting more attention than any place along the line of the C. P. R. between Montreal and Vancouver.

Mr. James Delaney, who has held the position of mining recorder and justice of the peace and notary public at Hot Springs, spent last winter at that place and made a record of observations on the weather. Kootenay lake does not freeze in winter, and the lowest point the thermometer reached was eight degrees above zero, the average being thirty to thirty-five above.

NEEDS EDUCATING.

Wonderful Production of a Pt. Moody J. P.—An Ignorant Official.

A document arrived from Port Moody last Friday, says the *Columbian*, accompanying Cham Gow, a Chinese chicken thief, which for simplicity of construction and wonderfully wrought justice has probably never been equalled. In order to understand the document a little explanation is necessary. Hung Yen keeps chickens at Port Moody, and Cham Gow stole a number from him. Cham Gow was arrested and the charges against him proven by witnesses. The presiding magistrate, who, by the way, had no jurisdiction, sentenced the offender to six months in jail with hard labor, and followed this up by committing Hung Yen, against whom there was no charge, to stand his trial at the assizes for no offence whatever. It would seem from this that the magistrate considers the unfortunate complainant a greater criminal than the thief. Following is a true copy of the amusing and wonderful document:

Whereas was this day charged before me of Her Majestres Justrices of the Peace in and for the said District of New Westminster on the oath of Hung Yen and others for that "the Cham Gow steal chickees from several partys and the sam pruven by savrel partes the oter cases to be poven hear after in the mautime his santance is six monts in common gael with *hard labor*"

These are therefore to command you the said Constables or Peace officers or any of you to take the said Hung Yen and him safely convey to the common gael at new westminster aforesaid and there to deliver him to the Keeper thereof together with this precept and do hereby command you the said Keeper of the said Common Gaol to receive the said Hung Yen into your custody in the said Common Gaol and there safely to keep him until he shall be thence delivered by due course of law.

Given under my hand and seal this 25 day of October in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and 89 at Port Moody in the District aforesaid.

NAVAL NOTES.

Rear Admiral Henesge to be Promoted to a Higher Rank.

Naval and Military Record.]

The next vacancy on the Admirals' or Vice-Admirals' list will promote Rear-Admiral A. C. F. Henesge, at present Commander-in-Chief on the Pacific station, to Vice-Admiral's rank, and thus vacate that appointment. Will also promote Captain W. R. Kennedy to Rear-Admiral's rank and place a captain's good service pension at the disposal of the Admiralty. This will be the last promotion of captains for a year, six captains having already been promoted to Rear-Admirals in 1889.

YOKOHAMA ABANDONED.

The decision of the Admiralty to give up the naval depot at Yokohama will be much regretted by many naval officers. With a little judicious management of the Japanese the English government might have established a good coaling station and dockyard in Japan which would have been most useful to our large squadron on the China station. At present there is only the Hong Kong dockyard available for repairing the defects of the ships stationed in the far east.

MOST POWERFUL AFLOAT.

The new Italian cruiser Piedmonte, built at Elswick, has a speed of 22 knots. Her powerful armament includes six 6-inch quick firing guns, six 4½ inch guns, ten 6-pounder Hotchkiss guns, and four Maxim guns, besides three torpedo tubes. The 6-inch guns are able to pierce fifteen inches of armor. This cruiser can, with her quick firing armament, discharge in a given time twice the weight of shot than the largest of our ironclads is capable of doing, and is undoubtedly one of the most powerful and efficient ships afloat.

THE C. P. R. STEAMERS

The Naval Construction and Armament Company at Barrow have received an order for three large, first-class, twin-screw passenger steamers, to be built of steel and of high speed, for the Canadian Pacific Railway Company. These steamers are to be placed on the Pacific route from British Columbia to Yokohama, with a view to develop the route to the east.

The Cause of Mirage.

There are days on which, in certain weather, and despite the curvature of the earth, the distance of visibility is doubled, or more than doubled. This phenomenon is explained to us by a well known law of physics. If we throw a coin into an empty vessel, it will be hidden by the edge of the latter at a certain distance; but if we fill the vessel with water the coin will become visible. We have here an effect of refraction, such as is explained in elementary works on physics. Every one also knows the theory of the mirage put forth by the celebrated Monge, who explains the phenomenon as due to a diminution of the air's density in contact with the superheated earth. A contrary theory will explain the mirage at sea.

While the sun is making the atmosphere intensely hot the sea and the strata of air in contact therewith remain relatively cold, and these strata become superposed in the order of their density. A luminous ray emanating from the sea will pass from one stratum into another of less density; there will be a refraction, and an object beneath the horizon will be seen above it. This theory supposes two conditions, to wit: A heating of the atmosphere, while the sea and the earth remain relatively cold, and a calmness of it to permit its strata to become superposed in the order of their density. It is precisely when these two conditions are fulfilled that the phenomenon of the mirage occurs. On such days ships rise instead of descending in measure as they recede. As the horizon is perceived by direct visibility a ship is finally seen above the horizon as if it were suspended in the air. If atmospheric conditions were favorable a second ship would be seen above the first, etc. Certain mariners worthy of credence have assured me that they have seen as many as seven superposed ships.—Emil Sorel in Nature.

Rattlesnakes Are Wise Serpents.

"You won't find malaria where there are rattlesnakes, but you will always find the home of this snake where there are the purest water, the freshest air and the dryest, highest land. That is why you always find trout where there are rattlesnakes."

Such was the declaration of a gentleman from Clinton county. He did not attempt to give any scientific explanation of the fact, but affirmed that it was a fact all the same.—Philadelphia Press.

THE FOOLED ELM.

The bold young Autumn came riding along
One day where an elm tree grew
"You are fair," he said, as she bends her head—
"Too fair for your robe's dull hue;
You are far too young for a garment so sad;
Your beauty needs color and sheen.
Oh, I would clothe you in scarlet and gold,
Befitting thy grace of a queen.

"For one little kiss on your lips, sweet Elm
For just one kiss,—no more—
I will give you, I swear, a robe more fair
Than ever a princess wore.
One little kiss on those lips, my pet,
And to you shall stand, I say,
Queen of the forest, and, better yet,
Queen of my heart alway."

She tossed her head, but—he took the kiss
('Tis the way of lovers bold);
And a gorgeous dress for that sweet elm
He gave ere the moon was old.
For a week and a day she ruled a queen
In beauty and splendid attire;
For a week and a day she was loved; I ween
With a love that is born of desire.

Then bold eyed Autumn went on his way
In quest of a tree more fair;
And cool winds tattered her garments and scattered
Her finery here and there.
Poor and faded and ragged and cold
She rocked and moaned in distress,
And longed for the dull green gown she had sold
For a lover's fickle caress.

And the days went by and the winter came,
And his tyrannous tempests beat
On the shivering tree whose robes of shame
He had trampled under his feet.
I saw her reach to the mocking skies
Her poor arms bare and thin,
Ah, well-a-day, it is ever the way
With a woman who trades with sin.
—Ella Wheeler Wilcox in Once a Week.

Brilliant Flesh Tints.

He had conceived an idea for a great classical picture, and he hired a stalwart gentleman of toil to pose for the muscular figure required for the center of the picture. He painted for days and days, and he thought whenever he had his model before him that he had never seen such rich flesh tints before. And he studied those flesh tints and worked till he had got them perfect. Then he called his brother artists in and showed them the picture.

"Those flesh tints don't seem quite right. Where did you get them?"

"They rich, aren't they? But they're from nature. They're from my model."

"Well, they don't look quite natural."

The last touches had to be given and the model had come to pose for the last time. When he stripped his torso and took his position the painter stared aghast. The brilliant flesh tints had vanished and he was a plain, ordinary flesh colored individual.

"How's this? What's the matter with you?"

"What?"

"You're changed your skin. It used to be redder than that."

"Oh, that was from the red undershirt I used to wear, and I had a bath this morning."—San Francisco Chronicle.

Added a Proviso.

An old vag, who has been in the habit of calling on a certain business man on Griswold street for dimes, was asked the other day how much he would take to keep away for all future time. He thought for a moment and then replied:

"Give me fifty cents and I'll never bother you again."

"I'll do it. Here—let me draw up a writing to that effect."

An agreement was drawn up and the vag read it over and laid it down with the remark:

"I can't do it. There's something cold blooded about that."

"But you agreed to."

"Yes, I know; but think of a man selling his manhood for fifty cents! I'd starve first!"

"Well, how much do you want?"

"A dollar."

"I'll split the difference with you."

"Well, I'll sign, but I want a proviso inserted that I do not hereby lose my self respect, and that I do not forfeit the right to come up stairs and strike the man in the next room if I get hard up."

It was added, and he signed and went off to strike a free lunch counter.—Detroit Free Press.

How They Were Made.

Among exclamations in common use "Halloo!" and "Hurrah!" have curious origins attributed to them. It is said by the author of the "Queen's English" that the people of Carnwood forest, Leicestershire, when they desire to hail a person at a distance call out not "halloo!" but "hallou!" This he imagines is a survival of the times when one cried to another: "A loup! a loup!" or, as we would now say: "Wolf! wolf!" "Hurrah!" again, according to M. Littre, is derived from the Slavonic huraj, "to Paradise," which signifies that all soldiers who fell fighting valiantly went straight to heaven. "Prithee" is obviously a corruption of "I pray thee;" while "murry" was originally a method of swearing by the Virgin Mary.—All the Year Round.

A Losing Game.

"'Ow did it work?" said one small boy on the street to the other. "'Ow did you do it?"

"See: The old man he dropped a dime, an' I picked it up an' runned after him, an' I says: 'Mister, 'ere's a dime as you dropped,' an' he puts 'is hand in his pocket an' he says: 'You're an honest little boy; here's a quarter for you.'"

"Wal, I dropped the dime right in front of the old woman, wen she had 'er purse open, an' I picked it up wen she walks along, an' follows her an says: 'Here, missis, is a dime you dropped.'"

"Well!"

"Wal, she takes it an' says 'Thank you, little boy,' an' puts it in her pocket, an' I'm ten cents out."—San Francisco Chronicle.

Perseverance.

The cause of nine parts in ten of the lamentable failures which occur in men's undertakings lies not in the want of talents, or the will to use them, but in the vacillating and desultory way of using them, in flying from object to object; in starting away at each little disgust, and thus applying the force, which might conquer any one difficulty to all series of difficulties so large that no human force can conquer them. Commend me therefore to the virtues of perseverance. Without it all the rest are little better than fairy gold, which glitters in your purse, but when taken to market proves to be slate or cinders.—Carlyle.

Copper Kettles Bad.

Cider is turned into vinegar upon exposure to the air, by the oxygen gas in the air, which unites with, or oxidizes the alcohol, changing it into acetic acid, of which vinegar is only a weak solution. Pickles are colored green by boiling in a copper kettle, because the vinegar unites with the copper, forming a green colored salt, similar to verdigris. As this coloring matter is unwholesome and poisonous, the practice is not one to be recommended.—Boston Budget.

A Sword Fish.

A bark arrived at Philadelphia with a sword fish's sword sticking in her side. The fish had struck the vessel on the port side, and the sword had entered one of the seams, driving out the oakum and penetrating into the cargo. The sword is considerably mightier than the pen with a sword fish. Sword fishes cannot be saved without it, as once disarmed they fall an easy prey to sharks and other ravenous sea monsters.—Boston Transcript.

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AMOUNT OF ASSURANCES ACCEPTED during the year 1888 (for which 2972 Policies were issued)	$7,282,805.07
ANNUAL PREMIUMS on new Policies during the year 1888	$281,964.93
CLAIMS UNDER POLICIES during the year 1888, inclusive of Bonus Additions	$2,957,252.40
AMOUNT OF POLICIES ISSUED during the last five years	$21,313,145.60
SUBSISTING ASSURANCES at 15th November 1888 (of which $6,882,000.00 is Re-assured with other offices)	$101,258,149.14

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LAND NOTICES.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date we intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase twelve hundred and eighty (1280) acres of land situated in Graham Island, Queen Charlotte District, and described as follows:—Commencing at the south east corner of the Yakoun Coal Company's claim, thence west 40 chains, thence south 160 chains, thence east 80 chains, thence north 160 chains, thence west 40 chains to the point of commencement.

B. W. BUCKNAM,
PATRICK HICKEY.

Victoria, Oct. 17th, 1889. oct19

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date, I intend making application to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land in the Coast District, viz.: Commencing at a stake planted on the west side of Waddington Harbour at the head of Bute Inlet thence S. W. 20 chains; thence N.W., 80 chains; thence S. E. 20 chains, or to the coast line; thence southerly along the coast line to the point of commencement.

C. G. HOBSON.

Vancouver 19 th, Oct. 1889. Oct. 14-2m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date we intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 320 acres of land situate on Graham Island, Queen Charlotte District, on which due notice has been posted, and described as follows: Commencing at the southeastern corner post of the Yakoun Coal Company's claim, and thence east 80 chains; thence south 160 chains; thence west 160 chains; thence north 160 chains; thence east 80 chains to point of commencement.

October 14th, 1889.
JAMES SHIELDS,
ROBERT TENANT,
W. S. ROBERTSON,
oct15 JOHN GRANT.

NOTICE.

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT I INTEND to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to establish a public highway from a trail on the west side of Okanagan Lake to the lake north of Trout Creek, commencing at a trail about 150 yards north of Gartrell's S. W. post running east, through a natural pass for about 1½ miles to the lake; thence north to the line between Gartrell's and my own land; thence west along said line to lake.

THOS. ELLIS.

Victoria, October 5th, 1889. oct5-1m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase 160 acres of land, more or less, situate on Cortes Island, Sayward district, B. C., described as follows:

Commencing at a stake in a bay about three-fourths of a mile east of Plumper Pass; thence running east 80 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 80 chains, thence south to the shore line of the bay, thence following the shore line to the point of commencement.

M. C. IRELAND.

sep19-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following tracts of land, situate at Duncan Bay, Sayward district, described as follows:—

Tract No. 1.—Commencing at the northwest corner of lot 28; thence west 60 chains; thence south 25 chains; thence east 60 chains; thence north 25 chains to the place of commencement, containing 150 acres.

Tract No. 2.—Commencing at the southeast corner of Lot 28; thence east 40 chains; thence north 40 chains; thence west 60 chains; thence south 40 chains to the place of commencement, containing 240 acres, more or less.

JAS. KING,
sep11 M. KING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT I, J. N. A. Lemmens, intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, for permission to purchase the following tract of land situated in Quatsino district, Vancouver Island, commencing on the sea shore, four (4) chains northwest of the most easterly house in "Quoitish" Indian village, Quatsino Narrows, and running north ten (10) chains; thence east two (2) chains; thence south to the sea shore, and thence in a westerly direction to the place of commencement. Containing two (2) acres, more or less. sep10-2m

I HEREBY GIVE NOTICE THAT SIXTY days after date I intend to apply to the Honorable the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works, to purchase 640 acres of land situate at Shoshartie Bay, Rupert district, and described as follows: Commencing at the N. E. corner of section 5 (Robt. Hunt's purchase claim); thence south 80 chains; thence west 80 chains; thence north 160 chains; thence east to H. W. M., Shoshartie Bay; thence southerly, following the shore line to H. Hunt's boundary; thence following said boundary to the point of commencement. J. D. HELMCKEN.

Victoria, Sept. 18th, 1889. sep18-2m

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date we intend making application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres of land situated at Rivers Inlet, B. C. Commencing at a stake marked A, about two and a half miles below Kitlalla River (near White Slide); thence west forty chains; thence south forty chains; thence east forty chains, and thence running along the shore line to point of commencement. Claim located and staked Aug. 26th, 1889.

W. McDOWELL,
A. McNEILL,
sep5-2m S. A. McDOWELL.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date we the undersigned intend to make application to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase one hundred and sixty acres of land situated at Rivers Inlet described as follows: Commencing about two and one-half (2½) miles below the Wannuck Cannery at the mouth of the Tsheso-Keg bay at a stake marked A; thence running west 40 chains; thence south 40 chains; thence east 40 chains, and thence running along the shore to point of commencement. Staked September 18th, 1889.

WM. McDOWELL,
A. McNEILL,
sep25-2m S. A. McDOWELL.

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT WE intend to apply to the Honorable Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tract of land situate in Sayward district commencing at a post on the 50th parallel of north latitude, 15 miles west of Discovery Pass; thence west 5 miles; thence north 2½ miles; thence east 5½ miles, more or less, to the western boundary of Messrs. Ross & McLaren's timber lease; thence south ¼ mile; thence west 1 mile; thence south 2 miles to the place of commencement. Containing 11,520 acres, more or less.

COL. SCOTT.
W. LADD,
L. CASEY,
J. KING,
sep10-6m M. KING.

NOTICE.

SIXTY DAYS AFTER DATE I INTEND TO make application to the Hon. the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works to purchase all the islands lying adjacent to St. John's Point, Hornby Island, and all the islands lying to the southeast of Hornby Island.

DAVID HOGGAN.

Victoria, September 23rd, 1889. sep23-2m

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT SIXTY days after date I intend to apply to the Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works for permission to purchase the following described tracts of land, situated on and near Graham Island, Queen Charlotte, and described as follows: The whole of Serra Island, situated near the outlet of the Honna River in Skidegate Inlet, containing 20 acres more or less. Also a small island a short distance east of the outlet of the Honna River, containing 25 acres more or less. Also 320 acres more or less at the outlet of the Honna River and described as follows: Commencing at a post on the shore at south west corner of claim; thence north 80 chains; thence east 80 chains; thence south to the shore, and along the shore to the point of commencement.

D. FREEMAN.

August 22nd, 1889. aug23-4m

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LEGAL NOTICES.

Estate of James Williams, Late of Juneau, Alaska, Deceased.

ALL PERSONS INDEBTED TO THE ABOVE estate are requested to pay the amounts due forthwith, and all persons having claims against the estate are requested to forward the same duly proved to

JAMES C. PREVOST,
jy26-td Administrator.

KOM WO TAI.

Assignment for the benefit of Creditors.

PURSUANT TO THE STATUTE 51 VIC., Cap. 19, entitled "The Trustees and Executors' Act," Notice is hereby given that all creditors and persons having any claims or demands upon or against the estate of Ong Schong, trading as Kom Wo Tai, General Merchant, at Lillooet, British Columbia, are hereby required to send particulars thereof in writing to the undersigned, on or before the 12th day of December, A.D. 1889, after which day the Trustees will proceed to distribute the assets of the said estate among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts, claims and demands of which they shall then shall have had notice; and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof distributed to any person or persons of whose debts, claims and demands they shall not have had notice.

Dated this 1st day of October, A.D. 1889.

EBERTS & TAYLOR
Solicitors for the Trustees.
Morris Simons and Dong Tai,
oct1-tf Victoria, B. C.

JOHN FINLAYSON.

Assignment for Benefit of Creditors.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT ALL creditors and persons having claims against John Finlayson, grocer, of Victoria, are hereby required to send particulars thereof in writing to the undersigned on or before the 20th day of October, 1889, after which day the Trustees will proceed to distribute the assets of the said John Finlayson, among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the debts and claims of those of which they shall then have had notice, and that they will not be liable for the assets or any part thereof so distributed, to any person or persons of whose debts and claims they shall not have had notice. Debtors of the said John Finlayson are requested to pay up their accounts to the undersigned immediately.

Dated this 3rd day of October, 1889.

R. P. RITHET & CO.,
For R. P. Rithet and Thos. Earle, assignees.
oct 1-1m

Certificate of Incorporation.

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WE hereby certify that the Company carrying on business at San Francisco, Cal., and at Victoria, on the Coast, to wit: The Pacific Coast Steamship Company, has complied with the provisions of the Act of the Legislature of British Columbia, intituled "The Companies Act, 1888," and that the head office of the said Company is situated at Victoria, Province of British Columbia, and that the business to be transacted by the said Company in this Province is the business of a steamship company, and that the amount of the capital of the said Company is Two Hundred Thousand Dollars, divided into Two Thousand shares of One Hundred Dollars each, and that the number of shares subscribed by the Company is Twenty-Five, and that the office of the said Company is to be situated in the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, and that the Company has appointed as its attorney in this Province, Robert Ward, of the City of Victoria, Province of British Columbia, merchant, and that the period for which the said Company is to continue is Fifty Years.

Given under my hand and seal of office at Victoria, Province of British Columbia, this Twenty-Ninth day of October, One Thousand Eight Hundred and Eighty-Nine.

[L.S.] A. DUNCAN,
Registrar of Joint Stock Companies.

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NOTICE.

THE APOLLINARIS COMPANY, Limited, of London, England, having information that spurious waters have been manufactured and sold in this Province as genuine "Apollinaris" waters in infringement of the Company's trade mark duly registered in Canada,

Notice is hereby given, that proceedings will be instituted against all persons who after this date shall manufacture or offer for sale any liquid under the name of "Apollinaris" other than that put up by and bearing the genuine Trade Mark of the Company.

THE APOLLINARIS COMPANY LIMITED.
By DRAKE, JACKSON & HELMCKEN,
Their Solicitors.
Victoria, B. C., 14th Oct., 1889. oct14

SOCIETY MEETINGS.

VANCOUVER AND QUADRA Lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., B. C. R.—Regular Communication the third Wednesday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Fisgard streets. Sojourning brethren cordially invited.

R. B. GREEN, Secretary.

COLUMBIA ROYAL ARCH Chapter, No. 120, E. R. A. M. Regular Convocations held on the first Monday of every month, at Chapter Hall Masonic Temple, Douglas Street. Sojourning companions cordially invited.

jel 1y W. J. QUINLAN, Scribe E.

VICTORIA - COLUMBIA Lodge, No. 1, A. F. & A. M., B. C. R.—Regular Communication the first Thursday in each month, at Masonic Temple, corner Douglas and Fisgard streets. Sojourning brethern cordially invited.

aug19 1y R. B. ROBOUF, Secretary.

FAR WEST LODGE, No. 1, K. of P. Regular convention every Friday evening at Foresters' Hall, Government street. Sojourning Knights are cordially invited to attend.

B. H. JOHN, K. of R. & S. oct9

ST. ANDREWS and CALEDONIAN Society meets in their hall, Gov. Yates street on the FIRST FRIDAY of every month. All Scotchmen are invited to join.

JOHN ROSS, Secretary.

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" Nanaimo " Comox, Wednesday, 8.00 a.m.
" Comox " Nanaimo, Thursday, 1.00 a.m.
" Nanaimo " Comox, Friday, 4.00 a.m.
" Comox " Nanaimo, Saturday, 1.00 a.m.
" Nanaimo " Victoria, Sunday, 7.00 a.m.

For freight or passage apply on board. jy17

CANADIAN PACIFIC Navigation Co., Ld.

Time Table No. 11

Taking effect March 26, 1889.

Vancouver Route.

Victoria to Vancouver daily except Monday at 2 o'clock.

Vancouver to Victoria daily except Monday at 10:30 o'clock, or on arrival of C. P. R. No 1 train.

New Westminster Route.

Leave Victoria for New Westminster, Ladner's Landing and Lulu Island Sunday at 2 o'clock. Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock. (Sunday's steamer to New Westminster connects with C. P. R. train No. 2 going East Monday.)

For Plumper Pass Wednesday and Friday at 7 o'clock.

For Moresby Island Friday at 7 o'clock.

Leave New Westminster for Victoria Monday at 11:30 o'clock, Thursday and Saturday at 7 o'clock.

For Plumper Pass Saturday at 7 o'clock.

Frazer River Route.

Steamers leave New Westminster for Hope and way Landings every Wednesday. For Cariboo and way landings every Monday and Saturday at 7 o'clock during river navigation.

Northern Route.

SS. Sardonyx will leave for Port Simpson and intermediate ports on the 1st and 15th of each month. When sufficient inducements offer will extend trips to West Coast points and Queen Charlotte Islands.

Barclay Sound Route.

Steamer Maude leaves for Alberni Sound ports when sufficient inducements offer.

The Company reserves the right of changing this Time Table without notification. Steamers leave on Standard Time.

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Leave Port Townsend ..... 11 a. m.
Arrive Seattle ..... 1:30 p. m.
Leave Seattle ..... 2 p. m.
Arrive Tacoma ..... 4:15 p. m.

TO VICTORIA, EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Leave Tacoma ..... 7 a. m.
Arrive Seattle ..... 9:15 a. m.
Leave Seattle ..... 9:30 a. m.
Arrive Port Townsend ..... 12:30 p. m.
Leave Port Townsend ..... 2 p. m.
Arrive Victoria ..... 5:30 p. m.

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PROVINCIAL PARAGRAPHS.

News of the City and Province Briefly Told.

—Artistic enlarged portraits, Fleming's, Government street.

A popular article at a popular price is Sweet Caporal.

—Zylonite collars and cuffs at Daley's, 111 Government street.

—An Indian fell dead on a street of New Westminster on Monday.

—The mills at the Royal City are running night and day to fill orders.

Merit and merit only is what is claimed for Sweet Caporals.

—The Uniform Rank, K. of P., will drill at Stelley's Hall to-night.

—Halloween concert this evening in the school room of the First Presbyterian Church.

—New designs in dinner and toilet-ware, glassware, lamps, etc., at John Weller's.

—"We lead" for elegance, style and beauty of finish. Hall & Lowe, Government street.

—People can order their coal at the Rock Bay Coal Yard by ringing up telephone 559.

—The best Wellington coal is kept at the Rock Bay Coal Yard. Office, 90½ Government street.

Sweet Caporals differ from other makes in that their ends do not fall into the mouth.

—The best place to secure a good suit to order, is at Campbell & Simpkins', 88 Government street.

—In the future Canadian money will be taken at par by the O. R. & N. Co. for fares from Victoria.

—Parlor suites, lounges and easy chairs in endless variety at Hastie & Lockhart's, 62 Government street.

—Seats are on sale at Waitt's for the grand concert to be given by Liberatti's Band. Prices as usual.

—Large stock of new style carpets, curtains, table covers and plushes just received at John Weller's.

—The naval ball at the dockyard will be a brilliant affair, great preparations are being made toward it.

—Ships plant stove pipes. Same price as common pipes at McLennan & McFeely's, 70 Yates street.

—A liberal discount on three ton lots at the Rock Bay coal yard, telephone 559. Full weight guaranteed.

—Fresh Oysters delivered to all parts of the city. New England Bakery, Young Bros., Government street, Telephone Call, No. 161.

—If you wish a full dress suit for the governor-general's reception, go to Campbell & Simpkins, merchant tailors, Government street.

—Upholstery worth seeing at Hastie & Lockhart's; and the prices worth enquiring into before purchasing elsewhere, 62 Government street.

—A. W. Bigger has disposed of his fruit and candy store on Government street to his brother, and bigger inducements than ever are offered.

—The civic elections of Westminster are to come off in December, and an effort will be made to select the park and water commissioners at the same time.

—Full turn out of the three local batteries is called for at the drill shed tonight for final inspection prior to forming a guard of honor for His Excellency.

—A petition has been presented to the board of aldermen of Seattle asking that an ordinance be passed prohibiting the sale of cigarettes to minors. This is well.

—Sideboards, hall racks, bedroom suites, carpets, mattings, &c., will be slaughtered for the next 30 days at Hastie & Lockhart's, 62 Government street.

—Over half a million feet of lumber has already been used in the construction of the lunatic asylum at Westminster. It will evidently be an inflammable structure.

—Largest stock of antique bedroom furniture, parlor suites and odd pieces, reed rockers, upholstery goods and housefurnishings in the province at John Weller's, 51 to 55 Fort street.

—Don't let anyone convince you that Hastie & Lockhart have not the finest line of goods, and at prices equally as fine, until you have made a personal examination for yourselves. No. 62 Government street.

—Foresters point with pride to the fact that Lord Stanley is one of the order. Also to the fact that out of 670 M. Ps in the British House of Commons, 222 are Foresters. The local orders will turn out on His Excellency's arrival.

—Prof. Oliver's first masquerade of the season took place last night and was a great success. The attendance of spectators was large, and the maskers were out in full force representing various characters. The evening was a most enjoyable one.

—A new saw mill, similar in size and capacity to the Ross-McLaren mill in Westminster, is to be built shortly on Burrard Inlet, near Hastings. The owners, when in thorough going order, is to be known as the North Pacific Lumber Company.

—Received this day at the Albion House new ulsters and jackets, knitted wool goods, plain and fancy dress materials, winter gloves, hosiery, etc. A full line of blankets, quilts, flannels and staples of every description always on hand.—Brown & White.

Sad Death.

Lawrence L. Dunne, died at Portland this morning. His parents have the sympathy of all in their sad bereavement. The deceased was a native of Victoria, and for several years in the employ of the Bank of B. C. at Westminster.

Excursionists.

A party of ten Raymond excursionists, the majority from the New England states, arrived in the city on Saturday, and after viewing the lovely scenery returned yesterday with favorable impressions. They are probably the last Raymond excursionists of the season, but hotel men anticipate a largely increased number next season.

At the Driving Park.

In spite of the wild weather a large number stepped ashore at the Victoria Driving Park this afternoon to witness the race between Gov. Ross's "Maud" of the Leamer's Landing and Cowichan "Royal" of Nanaimo, for a purse of $1000. The heavy state of the track made the mare a favorite, and bets were freely laid on her, although "Royal" had many supporters. Messrs. W. F. Chambers, Wm. Dalby and F. S. Barnard, M. P., acted as judges. The race was a close one but Gowdy's mare won in two straight heats. Time 56 sec. and 58 sec.

Assembly Hall Decorations.

The decorating the Assembly Rooms for the vice regal ball is being gone on with rapidly and well, and under the skilful direction of Mr. Anderson the dreary looking place is fast becoming beautiful. A new feature from the general style of decoration is six 2000 candle power arch lights which will make the large building brighter than noonday. The supper hall has also been tastefully decorated, and when complete the whole arrangements will be far ahead of anything ever before attempted.

Hon. Dewdney's Speech.

The Minister of the Interior's speech at Victoria, which favored Chinese emigration, is causing a good deal of comment in the east. The Empire, the government organ, denies that Mr. Dewdney made the speech as a feeler, and says it was solely on his own responsibility, but continues: "He spoke knowing the requirements of British Columbia, and that the province was actually suffering from the want of cheap labor. That this is the case the salmon packers are ready to testify."

The Ferry.

The Islander left Vancouver for Victoria at 8 o'clock to-day.

Lecture.

Mr. Colville, the inspirational lecturer, will lecture to-night at Harmony Hall, subject to be selected by the audience. Admission free. *1t

Wintry.

The peaks of the Olympians are becoming covered with a white coating of snow. They look cold and wintry now, and indicate that the stormy blasts of winter will soon be here.

Improvements.

Workmen commenced this morning clearing for the foundations of a new brick building on Pandora street opposite the city hall. The lower part is to be used as a stable by Ald. Goodacre.

Plaintiff Pays Costs.

The libel suit of Robertson vs the *Colonist*, decided in favor of the defendants some months ago, did not have the question of costs settled at the time. A decision has lately been given by Justice Crease, before whom the case was argued, that plaintiff pay all costs.

Death.

John Lintott, a professor of music and an artist with the violin, died to-day at St. Joseph's Hospital at the age of 74 years. Deceased had been a resident of the city for many years and was well known. He was unmarried and leaves a brother. The remains will be interred to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock, the funeral leaving the hospital.

Esquimalt Notes.

H.M.S. Icarus was floated out of the dry dock this morning.

Great preparations are being made for the ball to the Governor-General in the navy yard.

A number of men are busy decorating and getting the electric lights ready, the current for which they will get from one of the ships by a cable laid underneath the water.

These Totem Poles.

The steamer Maude on her recent trip to the north took on board several large totem poles and brought them to this port. They were some that Dr. Boas when north took a fancy to, and the Dr. under the impression that as curios they would be of value in Europe, has presented them to a museum in Berlin, Germany. The poles are massive, so much so that they were cut into halves. A carvings are rare from an Indian point of view, and a rough guess places their age at 50 years.

Kootenay Silver.

Mr. Wm. Jensen, of the Occidental Hotel, who lately made a trip to the Kootenay district, purchased while there a third interest in the Transvaal claim at Hot Springs camp. This morning he received advices from Ainsworth and Bonner's Ferry to the effect that rich wire silver had been struck at a depth of six feet. Samples of the metal were also forwarded, and from them it is evident that the speculation will turn out well for Mr. Jensen. The pure silver can be picked from the ore in masses of knotted threads or wires, and must be very valuable.

How Is This?

A reporter of San Francisco has been interviewing Senator Morgan of Alabama regarding a variety of subjects, and, of course, asked the inevitable question, "What do you think of our city?" The senator is quoted as saying in reply: "San Francisco is the great city of the Pacific coast. With her advantages of position and wealth, the magnificence of her harbor, the position she already occupies in the world of commerce, there is no question of her supremacy now and forever so far as American ports on the Pacific are concerned. Victoria will be her only rival."

Effect of the Wind.

An old rameshackle building near the Occidental block on Wharf street succumbed to the high gale of last night, part of the front of the old wreck being blown out on to the sidewalk. Had anyone happened to be passing at the time the chances are that the services of a coroner's jury would have been required. The old shell which commenced dissolution under the action of the wind is one of a row of unsightly fabrics which disgrace that part of the city, and if all of the lot fell to the fury of the gale no one would grieve much.

Dissatisfied, Too.

Capt. J. C. Nixon, owner of three American sealing schooners, tells the Seattle *Times* that he has about arrived at the conclusion that with the apparent partiality of Uncle Sam's revenue boats for British sealers it is just about useless for American sealers to prosecute the search. Capt. Nixon makes no direct charge against the officers of the Rush and Bear, but he believes that in the light of happenings for the past year, there is a screw loose somewhere. Every one of Capt. Nixon's boats were boarded by revenue officers and ordered out, and luckily for the schooners, no seals were found aboard.

The Ceiling Fell.

The officials at the city hall were startled this morning by hearing a loud crash in the council chamber. Upon investigation it was found that one of the plaster center pieces, formed around the chandelier had become detached from the ceiling and fell with a whack to the burners beneath, twisting and breaking them considerably. It is surmised that the plaster has become loose by reason of the burning eloquence of the board of aldermen when the needs of their respective wards are discussed. Possibly the high wind may have shaken it loose, but the first named is just as likely the reason. 'Tis a good job no one was under it at the time, or a serious accident might need to be described.

Marine Gossip.

The steamer George W. Elder will not leave for Alaska until the end of the week. Her departing time was changed that she might receive some slight needed repairs, having a new steam windlass put in at Portland. Her old windlass was out of order, and she lost an anchor and 65 fathoms of chain on her last trip north.

The steam schooner Leo, Capt. Lennan, has arrived on the Sound from Juneau, bringing eight passengers and a general Alaska cargo. She reports business generally quiet on account of the mines suspending operations for the winter. On the voyage up the Leo lost her propeller, and under sail went to Alert bay, where she was repaired. Head winds were experienced coming down. The steamship Alki was passed twelve miles from Tongas narrows, bound north.

Concert To-Night.

Lovers of Scotch music will receive a treat to-night by attending the concert in the schoolroom of the First Presbyterian church. Hallowe'en is not celebrated now by Scotch lads and lassies. No "ducking for apples," nor "pu'ing kail." In these degenerate days the old customs are giving place to new fangled notions and perhaps it is well that they should. Concerts like that of to-night are more entertaining and elevating to this age, than the festivities of former years. Those who will take part to-night are some of Victoria's most popular and talented vocalists, instrumentalists and elocutionists, and the programme is of such a varied nature that all who may attend will find his or her taste catered for. It is quite well known that the Young Peoples' Association give no milk and water entertainments as is evinced by their previous efforts. As in former years Mr. J. G. Brown has the management and no doubt this occasion will be as successful a one as the others were under his able direction. There are three concerts during the winter that Scotchmen make a point of celebrating, that is Hallowe'en, St. Andrew's Day and Burns' Anniversary. There should be a large attendance on the first of these, to-night. Concert at 8 p. m. sharp.

THE BARNARD CASTLE.

Whitelaw, the Wrecker, Intends to Wreck the Vessel.

Sunday morning, November 21st, 1886, the collier Barnard Castle, under charter to Dunsmuir & Sons, struck on Ross Rock, near Race Rocks, while bound from Departure Bay to San Francisco with 2200 tons of coal on board, and was beached on Bentinck island. The wrecked vessel was insured for $50,000 and was abandoned to the underwriters. After lying under the water for three years Capt. T. P. H. Whitelaw, the famous Pacific coast wrecker, intends to bring the wrecking steamer Whitelaw from San Francisco, with the necessary outfit for the purpose of wrecking the steamer and obtaining the machinery, copper, etc.

A NEW CANNERY

To be Built and Operated on the Skeena River.

Laidlaw & Co. have now under construction what will be one of the finest and best appointed salmon canneries in the province. The location is at Irving, on the Skeena river, where the water is always free from ice, and where vessels of any draught can call at all stages of the tide. The capacity of the cannery is to be 1000 cases per day, and the brand will be known as the "Standard." The buildings will be completed by the first of next January, and with Mr. Laidlaw's long experience in the business the requirements for a first class cannery are all embodied in this one, which, it is said, will be the best appointed in the province. Mr. Laidlaw has some of the most influential business men of this city interested in the enterprise, and nothing will be left undone to push the brand along and make it popular.

TELEGRAPHIC RIFLE MATCH.

C Battery Defeats the London, Ont., Team by 462 Points.

A telegraphic rifle match, the result of a challenge issued by Major Jas. Peters, on behalf of C Battery R. C. A., and accepted by Major Young, commanding D company, Infantry School corps, London, Ont., was fired on the range, Clover Point, yesterday morning.

Particulars to be had from the Secretary,

D. E. CAMPBELL,
P. O. BOX 20.
oct28 VICTORIA.

VICTORIA THEATRE.

—TO-NIGHT—
—THE GREAT—
MUSICAL EROTHIS!

C Battery team scored as under:

Total number of hits on target	481
Bulls-eye 75	375 points
Inners, 109	424 points
Magpies, 46	238 points
Outers, 214	428 points
Total score	1465 points
Average per man 49 6 points.	
D Company, L. H. C., London	1028 points
Beaten by	462 points

SPORTS AND PASTIMES.

A Resume of Events in the Sporting Arena.

Matsada Sorakichi will not go east for several weeks yet. It is said that Matsada has completely flunked before Quinn, and will not meet him.

Clem Austin is in Whatcom giving exhibitions at the Athletic Club there. He talks of returning to this city.

IN HALF TIME.

W. H. Quinn, the wrestler, returned to Seattle yesterday from Whatcom, where on Saturday night he wrestled Paddy Maher, champion wrestler of Whatcom. He agreed to throw Maher five times in thirty minutes for the gate receipts, catch-as-catch-can style. Quinn completed his contract in just sixteen minutes and one half.

FOR THE VICTORIA RACES.

About twenty Seattle horses will be brought to Victoria to compete in the races to be held here Saturday and Monday next, under the auspices of the Victoria Jockey Club. The horses will be started Tuesday or Wednesday, so as to reach Victoria in good season.

WILLING TO RACE.

Tremoine, who was second in the half mile flat race at the gymkhana meeting, will run the winner for $50.

FOOTBALL.

A meeting of the Islanders was held last night. Mayor Grant signified his willingness to act as president of the club. All persons who are good football players are invited to join the Islanders, as it is the intention to raise a strong team for the season. A senior and junior team will be formed, and first practice held next Saturday at Beacon Hill.

INTERNATIONAL WRESTLING.

A wrestling match took place last night between Cannon of England and Feltero of France for a stake of £250. Cannon was the winner.

FLYERS COMING.

Mr. Thos. Shaw, received telegrams today stating that seven horses will leave Seattle and five leave Port Townsend tomorrow, for Victoria, to take part in the great jokey club meeting, which opens on Saturday in the Victoria Driving Park. Seven of the mainland flyers are expected down to-night.

VANCOUVER ATHLETICS.

The Winnipeg *Free Press*, which never tires of puffing Vancouver, and there is no objection to it, refers to that place as "an athletic city." This is comparatively true. At the same time it would be nonsense to say that Vancouver was more athletic than the other cities of this province, for as a matter of fact she has not kept up her end this year, excepting at firemen's tournaments. Vancouver, however, shows plenty of vigor in sporting matters and may yet make a record for herself. The Vancouver boating club, for instance, was formed in April, 1888. It can boast of a select membership of a little over one hundred; H. Abbott is the president. The local regattas held under the auspices of this club this year have been a great success.

CORRECTION.

The statement in yesterday's TIMES that a British Columbia Derby was to be held in 1892 under the auspices of the "B. C. Jockey Club" was not correct. It will be held under the auspices of the Victoria Jockey Club, the "B. C. Jockey Club" being a Vancouver organization.

PROVINCIAL POLICE COURT.

(Before Robt. Ward and A. J. Langley, J. P's.)

Ah Yung, a Chinaman resident near Gordon Head, was charged on two counts of having illegally shot pheasants on the 22nd and 25th of October. Evidence was taken which went to show that the charges were well founded, and fines amounting to $41 were imposed.

Made from prime selected tobacco; Sweet Caporals.

POLICE COURT.

(Before Hon. A. E. Richards, Q. C.)

Silas, a venerable Indian of the Cowichan tribe, pleaded guilty to having a bottle of gin. He expressed sorrow at the fact of his not having tasted the contents of the bottle, but his grief did not avail, for the relentless law says a fine of $25 must be paid. Not having the needful, a month at hard labor was imposed.

Alfred McNeil was charged with being drunk. The accused pleaded guilty and a fine of $5 and costs satisfied the outraged law.

James Johnson was summoned to appear on a charge of not registering his vehicle which plys for hire. The accused failed to appear, and the case was adjourned until to-morrow.

The ends of Sweet Caporals do not fall out owing to their being hand made.

The London Fleet.

The cargo of the bark Dochra is turning out as bright as a silver dollar. The vessel has no freight for Vancouver.

The bark Norcross will be another week unloading. The cargo is also coming out in splendid condition. Out of 834 heavy iron gas mains only two have been found broken. The Vancouver freight, about 350 tons, will be the last thing out, and go up to its destination in about ten days by a C.P.N. steamer.

IN DISTRESS.

The Bark Martha Puts Into Frisco Leaking.

A telegram from San Francisco this afternoon states that the British bark Martha, Capt. Cooke, which left Esquimalt sixteen days ago for Shanghai, lumber laden, put into that port to-day in distress, having sprung a leak during a heavy gale off the coast.

The Martha is the vessel which lay in Esquimalt for some days, owing to the crew refusing to go to sea, claiming that the vessel was unseaworthy. A survey was held by the local board of examiners who pronounced her fit to go to sea when she accordingly left. The vessel is very old, and this time will probably be condemned.

THE NAVAL YARD.

Extensive Improvements Towards Strengthening It.

The improvements completed and in contemplation at the naval yard, Esquimalt, point to the Imperial authorities making it one of their chief stations. Recently there has been completed a large brick building, two storeys, 60 x 40, for the use of torpedo apparatus. The work has been done by local contractors, Messrs. McKillican & Anderson and A. L. Reid. The cost of the work is in the neighborhood of $15,000.

Another improvement for which tenders were handed in to-day, is for the extension of a wharf in the naval yard about twenty feet farther into the deep water. This wharf is to be utilized by a mammoth steam crane of sixty tons, to be laid on a concrete foundation. With the extension of the wharf, sufficient depth can be obtained for vessels of any draught to use the crane in shipping guns or loading any heavy material. Other improvements are mooted, and indications point to much activity in the naval yard for some time to come.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

—Coal is delivered on short notice from the Rock Bay Coal Yard, A. Heathorn, agent, 90½ Government street.

DIED.

WILSON.—In this city, on the 28th instant, Thos. F. Wilson, a native of Yorkshire, England, aged 44 years.

When Baby was sick, we gave her Castoria,
When she was a Child, she cried for Castoria,
When she became Miss, she clung to Castoria,
When she had Children, she gave them Castoria.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

RECEPTION

GIVEN BY

The City of Victoria

To His Excellency

LORD STANLEY

GOVERNOR-GENERAL

Of the

DOMINION OF CANADA.

Oct. 31st—Nov. 5th, '89

THURSDAY, OCTOBER 31st.

Reception upon the arrival of His Excellency at 2 p. m.

1. Landing of His Excellency from H. M. S. Champion per steamer Sir James Douglas at the Hudson Bay Company's wharf.

2. Attendance of the Reception Committee upon His Excellency at the wharf.

3. The procession will form from this point observing the following order, viz:

Marshals.
Societies.
Fire Department.
Municipal Council and Civic Officers.
Military and Band.
HIS EXCELLENCY THE GOVERNOR-GENERAL.
His Honor the Lieutenant-Governor.
The Admiral.
Bishops.
Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of B. C.
Members of the Senate.
Puisne Judges of the Supreme Court of B. C.
Commandant of the C Battery, R. C. A.
Members of the House of Commons.
Members of the Executive Council.
Members of the Legislative Assembly.
Foreign Consuls.
Members of the Procession, Reception, Banquet and Ball Committees.
Mayors of other Corporations.
The Clergy.
Ex-Mayors of the City.

4. Upon reaching the arch at the corner of Government and Yates streets, His Excellency will be received by His Worship the Mayor and the Board of Aldermen and presented with an address.

5. After His Excellency's reply, the procession will march in the above order towards Government House; at a short distance from the grounds it will halt at a word of command. All preceding His Worship and Aldermen will face inwards and step back to either side of the road and allow the remainder of the procession to pass in between.

6. After all carriages have passed into the grounds the societies and Fire Department will reform and follow them, the procession going out at the north gate and dispersing at pleasure.

S. PERRY MILLS,
Chairman of the Procession Committee.

In the evening a

GRAND CIVIC BANQUET

will be tendered His Excellency in the Assembly Rooms, Fort street, to commence at 8 o'clock. Tickets $5.00.

Saturday & Monday, Nov. 2 & 4

Horse races at the Driving Park under the auspices of the Victoria Jockey Club, and under the patronage of His Honor the Lieutenant Governor.

Some 20 horses of the best stock on the coast will take part.

Running, trotting and pacing, gymkhana and hurdle races. $1600 to be given in prizes.

A grand stand has been erected for the Vice-Regal party.

Races to begin each day at 12 o'clock.

For particulars see programmes.

Tuesday Evening, Nov. 5

A grand civic ball will be given in the Assembly Rooms which will be handsomely decorated, in honor of Their Excellencies the Governor-General and the Lady Stanley of Preston. To begin at 9 o'clock.

Music by the band of H. M. S. Swiftsure.

Tickets for both Banquet or Ball may be procured from Mayor Grant, Capt. A. W. Jones, Joshua Davies, Esq., R. K. Toller, Esq., H. E. Crescentille, Esq., or J. L. Raymur, Esq., Hon. Secretary.

JOHN GRANT, Mayor.

W. J. BOWLER, Hon. Sec.
of the General Committee.

Passengers Arriving.

For steamer North Pacific from the Sound—Mr Bond and daughter, R I Van Ronten, A W Everest, E D Cloud, e J Leahy, Miss Woodard, F Smith, C Booker, D Davis, S S Sensabaugh, H russell, J M Ward, J Sweet, H Louige, R M Barry, Mrs Cartright, C A Boots, Miss Lounsbury, A Brouner, R Joyce, C Hatfield, C Calderon, H Scorts, S Jordan, Miss Smith, F Young, A H Dunning, H S Comfort and wife, S Hole, J S Wright, J U Forest and son, M Curtis, N Graham, F McCracken, T W Lewis, Miss Adams, Miss Stone, F E Joes, G Boyle, P McGibon, W Harvey, W F Baker, J Roller, Capt Eddystone, J A Sinkilson, G Rankin, H N Richards, G W Wright and wife, D B McGinnis, E L Hutcheson, J H Baxter, J Wood, F Green, C H Curtis, N Gentes, G B Roberts, W Jenn, A Haines, E Burns.

For Str. Princess Louise, from Westminster—Mr and Mrs Cowper, Mrs J Morfett, Miss Louise Carter, Miss Wise, J Wise, Mr English, R Nelson, C F Todd, Jas Dowler, John Morfett, W Bennett, W J Orr, J A Murray, E A Washburn, H E Fawcett, H McGillan, W D McKay, A Peterson, J W Carter, R Mitchell, A B Gray, J Devereaux, Mr and Mrs W R Higgins, S A Spencer, A Webb, C N Ross, W Wallace, G Hauck, F B Pemberton, Mr McLeod.

Consignees.

For steamer North Pacific from the Sound—Jno Parker, Mrs B A Kritch, R Portman.

For Str. Princess Louise, from Westminster—C Stroess & Co, R Baker & Son, P O Hoody, Dom Exp Co, S Leiser, W G Walker, Mrs B J Smith, Lenz & Leiser, H Freeman, C Hayward, J Tollick, Wm Gurdy, R & T, J T Paget, L Goodacre.

Children Cry for Pitcher's Castoria.

ROYAL BAKING POWDER
Absolutely Pure.

This powder never varies. A marvel of purity, strength and wholesomeness. More economical than the ordinary kinds, and cannot be sold in competition with the multitude of low test, short weight alum or phosphate powders. SOLD ONLY IN CANS. ROYAL BAKING POWDER CO., 106 Wall street, New York. aug16

FOUND.—An owner wanted for a bench of eight small keys. Apply at this office and pay expenses of this advertisement. oct29

WANTED.—A young girl to help take care one baby. Apply at once. 152 Dougl s street. oct29-1w

CHEAP BUILDING LAND.

Lots on Fort street @	$400
" Work Estate	450
" Tolmie Estate	175
" in James Bay District	450

PORT ANGELES! PORT ANGELES!

Lots from $50 upwards.

5, 10, 20, and 40 acre blocks at from $40 to $200 per acre

—EASY TERMS.—

ROUTLEDGE, SWINERTON & CO.,

52 GOVERNMENT STREET,

Next to the Bank of B. C., Victoria.

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COAL MERCHANTS.

COAL! COAL!

Best double screened

WELLINGTON COAL

By the ton or in carload lots delivered from the E. & N. Railway shutes.

LIBERAL DISCOUNT ON THREE TON LOTS

and over for CASH.

HALL, GOEPEL & CO.,

100 Government St., and 28 Store St.

TELEPHONE CALLS NOS. 83 & 46. oct2-1m

STRIKE! STRIKE!

Notwithstanding that strikes are the order of the day,

THE COAL MINERS HAVE NOT STRUCK.

Best Wellington Coal in lots to suit, delivered at short notice. Full weight guaranteed. A liberal discount on three ton or car load lots. Esquimalt orders promptly filled.

VICTORIA COAL, WOOD AND LUMBER YARD

of

C. E. MALETTE,

Telephone Call 590. oct9 Government Street.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

NOTICE.

THE BUSINESS heretofore carried on at 86 Government street by G. W. Bigger, has been disposed of to A. W. Bigger, who will continue the business at the same stand.

Victoria, B.C., Oct. 29, 1889. oct29-1i

General Committee Meeting.

A Meeting of the General Committee will be held to-morrow afternoon at 4 o'clock, for consultation with the several sub-committees.

ALEXANDER TOD, DECEASED.

ALL PERSONS HAVING ANY CLAIMS OR demands against the Estate of Alexander Tod, late of Victoria District, deceased, are hereby required to send in particulars of their claims and demands to the undersigned, the Sole Executrix of the will of the deceased, on or before the 1st day of December next.

Dated October 29th, 1889.

CHAS. E. POOLEY,
oct29-1m Langley St., Victoria.

Victoria's Efficient Orchestra,

Prof. Granat, Musical Director.

Music furnished for balls, parties, weddings, entertainments, etc. Apply to the headquarters at the London Harmony.

W. J. PHILLIPS,
oct25-3m Cor. Johnson and Broad Sts.

J. W. ELLIS & CO.

ARE AT PRESENT IN THE CITY, AND will soon be able to introduce their new and wonderful process for

RENOVATING CARPETS

without removing them from the floor. Satisfaction guaranteed. oct23-1m

VOTERS.

ALL PERSONS WISHING TO have their names placed on the Dominion Voters' List, free of expense, can do so by leaving their names and qualification at the offices of Dr. Milne, F. G. Richards, jr., and "The Times." oct25

GENERAL MERCHANTS.

HUDSON'S BAY COMP'Y.

By the "Norcross" from London we have received further supplies.

Paints and Oils, Shot, Carpet, Blankets

15,000 FIRE BRICKS

And a large supply of Wines and Groceries.

OUR STOCK TO BE CLOSED OUT BEFORE END OF THE YEAR.

oct18

Russell, McDonald & Co.'s

FIFTH ANNUAL

PREMIUM DRAWING.

$850.00--WORTH OF GIFTS--$850.00

Distributed as follows:

First Gift	Gold Coin	$100.00
Second do	Dinner Service	50.00
Third do	Gents Gold Watch	50.00
Fourth do	China Tea Set	25.00
Fifth do	do do	25.00
Sixth do	Baby Carriage	25.00
Seventh do	Gents Silver Watch	25.00
Eighth do	Black Silk Dress	20.00
Ninth do	Set of Agate Ware	20.00
Tenth do	Silk or Velvet Dress	20.00
Ten Gifts valued at $20.00 each		200.00
Ten do do 15.00 do		150.00
Ten do do 10.00 do		100.00
Ten do do 5.00		50.00
Total		$850.00

Customers receive one ticket for every dollar's worth of goods purchased.

Drawing takes place DEC. 26th, under the entire management of a committee of ticket holders.

Our Fall Stock of DRY GOODS, Ladies, Misses and Children's Ulsters, Men and Boys Clothing, Boots and Shoes, Trunks and Valises, etc., etc., is now complete and is fully Twenty per cent. cheaper than any other stock in the city.

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The largest line of FALL GOODS ever offered in this Market.

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FELT GOODS AND RUBBER WARE OF EVERY DESCRIPTION.

Inspect the goods and compare the prices and you will find that it pays to deal at the

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THE CELEBRATED "K" BOOTS

The most waterproof boot extant, for Ladies, Gents, Boys and Youths.

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NEW MILLINERY BY EXPRESS FROM PARIS

Will be shown To-morrow. Also a new line of Untrimmed Felts, and a good assortment of Wings and Birds. These are the

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